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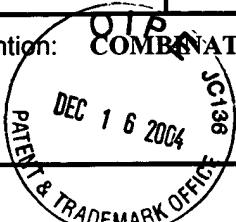
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Applicant(s): Charles Michael Stephens

Docket No.

16542

Application No. 10/677,508	Filing Date October 2, 2003	Examiner Stephen P. Avila	Customer No. 23389	Group Art Unit 3617	Confirmation No. 8237
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Invention: **COMBINATION AC MOTOR DRIVE AND ELECTROLYZER SUPPLY FOR MARINE VESSEL**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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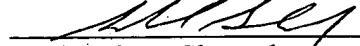
In response to the Official Action dated September 13, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks:

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